

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 1999-217-C – ORDER NO. 1999-343
MAY 17, 1999

IN RE: Petition of Bluffton Telephone Company and) ORDER	✓ MR
Hargray Telephone Company, Inc. to Preserve) ESTABLISHING	
Their Rural Exemption as Permitted under) PREFILING	
47 U.S.C. Section 251(F)(1).) DEADLINES	

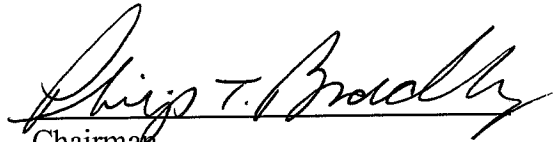
This matter is before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) for the purpose of establishing pre-filing deadlines for testimony and exhibits. Pursuant to 26 S.C. Regs. 103-869(C)(Supp.1998), the Commission hereby orders that twenty-five copies of the testimony and exhibits of the Petitioners shall be prefiled on or before **May 27, 1999**, and that twenty-five copies of the testimony and exhibits of Resort Hospitality Services, Ltd d/b/a RHS Communications, Inc. shall be pre-filed on or before **June 10, 1999**. In addition, parties shall serve their pre-filed testimony and exhibits on all other parties of record as required by the Commission's Rules and Regulations. All parties are reminded that all witnesses must be present during any hearing in this matter at the call of the Chairman, or the Commission may decline to allow the witnesses' testimony to be read into the record of the proceeding, and/or may decline to allow the witnesses' exhibits to be entered into the evidence of the case.

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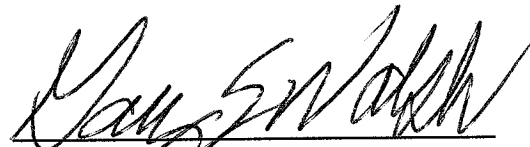
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Please take notice that any party requesting modification of this schedule must file a request for such modification with the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:


Chairman

ATTEST:


Executive Director

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